

PATENT

Attorney Docket No. BBC-180

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF:

David John Heal

Raymond J. ART UNIT: 1614

EXAMINER: Henley

APPLICATION NO.: 10/009,833

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FOR: Therapeutic Agents

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

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REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116

This is in reply to the Final Office Action mailed November 13, 2002, the period for response thereto having been set to expire on February 13, 2003, which date for response has been extended by two months to expire on April 13, 2003, pursuant to the Petition for Extension of Time enclosed herewith. However, since April 13, 2003 is a Sunday the instant reply is being timely filed on April 14, 2003 pursuant to 37 CFR §1.7

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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